

Table 4**Top 10 U.S. baccalaureate-origin institutions of doctorate recipients from 2010–20, by broad field of doctorate, institutional control, and 2018 Carnegie Classification**

(Number)

| Rank | Broad field and baccalaureate-origin institution | Doctorate recipients | Institutional control | 2018 Carnegie Classification |
|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Life sciences ^a | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 1,506 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | U. Wisconsin-Madison | 1,320 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | Cornell U. | 1,245 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | U. California, Davis | 1,073 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 951 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | U. California, Los Angeles | 923 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | U. California, San Diego | 919 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 911 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | U. Florida | 866 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | Pennsylvania State U., University Park and Hershey Medical Center | 841 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Physical sciences and earth sciences | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 742 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | Cornell U. | 502 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 421 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 370 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | California Institute of Technology | 350 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | Pennsylvania State U., University Park and Hershey Medical Center | 350 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 349 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | U. Wisconsin-Madison | 335 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | U. Washington, Seattle | 310 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. California, San Diego | 305 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Mathematics and computer sciences | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 392 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 322 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | Carnegie Mellon U. | 227 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | Harvard U. | 223 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | Princeton U. | 200 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | U. Chicago | 199 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | Cornell U. | 198 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 196 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | Brigham Young U., Provo | 191 | Private | R2: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 190 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Psychology and social sciences | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 1,036 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 827 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | U. California, Los Angeles | 733 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | Harvard U. | 663 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | U. Florida | 638 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | Brigham Young U., Provo | 635 | Private | R2: doctoral universities |
| 7 | Cornell U. | 613 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | U. Texas, Austin | 606 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | New York U. | 564 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. Wisconsin-Madison | 532 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Engineering | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 910 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | Massachusetts Institute of Technology | 834 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |

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|---------------------|---|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| 3 | Georgia Institute of Technology | 808 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 762 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 761 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | U. Florida | 721 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | Purdue U., West Lafayette | 708 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | Cornell U. | 704 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | Pennsylvania State U., University Park and Hershey Medical Center | 614 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. Texas, Austin | 581 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Education | | | | |
| 1 | Brigham Young U., Provo | 379 | Private | R2: doctoral universities |
| 2 | U. Florida | 362 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | U. Texas, Austin | 350 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | Texas A&M U., College Station and Health Science Center | 325 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | Pennsylvania State U., University Park and Hershey Medical Center | 319 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 317 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 300 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | Michigan State U. | 296 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | Ohio State U., Columbus | 296 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. Georgia | 293 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Humanities and arts | | | | |
| 1 | U. California, Berkeley | 722 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 2 | Harvard U. | 557 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | Yale U. | 515 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | U. California, Los Angeles | 462 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | Columbia U. in the City of New York | 438 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | New York U. | 435 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | U. Chicago | 416 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | Brigham Young U., Provo | 389 | Private | R2: doctoral universities |
| 8 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 389 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | U. Texas, Austin | 375 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| Other ^b | | | | |
| 1 | Brigham Young U., Provo | 370 | Private | R2: doctoral universities |
| 2 | U. Michigan, Ann Arbor | 187 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 3 | U. Texas, Austin | 183 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 4 | U. Florida | 179 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 5 | U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign | 171 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 6 | Pennsylvania State U., University Park and Hershey Medical Center | 166 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 7 | U. Pennsylvania | 153 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 8 | Cornell U. | 144 | Private | R1: doctoral universities |
| 9 | U. Wisconsin-Madison | 141 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |
| 10 | Michigan State U. | 140 | Public | R1: doctoral universities |

^a Includes agricultural sciences and natural resources, biological and biomedical sciences, and health sciences.^b Includes other non-science and engineering fields not shown separately.

Note(s):

Institutions with the same number of doctorate recipients are listed alphabetically. R1: doctoral universities are institutions with very high research activity and R2: doctoral universities are institutions with high research activity.

Source(s):

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, Survey of Earned Doctorates.